RESULTS OF ELECTIONS TO COMMITTEES

President: The following are the results of the elections held last evening to the various committees.

The Public Accounts Committee.

Mr. T. Mahomed Ismail	...	17
Mr. P. N. Nilakanta Pillai	...	7

Mr. T. Mahomed Ismail is declared elected.

The Standing Finance Committee.

Mr. Kochikal P. Balakrishnan Tampi	...	13
Mr. James Fletcher	...	10

Mr. Kochikal P. Balakrishnan Tampi is declared elected.

The Transport Advisory Committee.

Mr. E. K. Kuriyppe	...	11
Mr. Thuppan Nambudiripad	...	7

Mr. E. K. Kuriyppe is declared elected.

MOTION RE: LATE MR. CHELLAM PILLAI.

Mr. M. Govindan (*Nominated*): Sir, I move:

> "This Council places on record its deep sense of sorrow on account of the untimely death of Mr V. Chellam Pillai who was an honourable member of this House."

In moving this I beg leave to point out that Mr. Chellam Pillai belonged to a respectable Nanjnad Vellala family in South Travancore. He was elected to this House in the vacancy caused by the appointment of Mr. Arumugham Pillai as Secretary. He was a man with a record of service in the Old Sri Mulam Popular Assembly. He was always championing the cause of the ryots in South Travancore. His death was untimely; he was only 54 years of age. He was for about one year a member of this Council. May his soul rest in peace.

Mr. K. Kunjan Pillai: Sir, I support the motion brought forward by my honourable friend Mr. Govindan. In doing so, I associate myself with the sentiments expressed by him. Although my association with the legislature has been short, I had the opportunity of meeting Mr. Chellam Pillai in 1109 when I was Tahsildar at Agasteeswaram. By his simple and unostentatious habits he endeared himself to all. He was a great friend of all and he had always in mind the interests of the country at large. May his soul rest in peace.

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